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TAGS: ETRD, EMIN, BR

SUBJECT: U.S. FERROUS SCRAP EXPORTS

REF: STATE 180491

1. CONGEN RIO OFFICER HAS SEEN COPIES OF CORRESPONDENCE INDICATING THAT MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS INSTRUCTED BRAZILIAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON TO INFORM USG THAT USIBA (USINA SIDERURGICA DA BAHIA S/A) SHOULD BE ASSIGNED BRAZIL'S 6,000-TON SCRAP CONTINGENCY ALLOCATION FOR THIRD QUARTER. EMBASSY ALSO INSTRUCTED TO REQUEST 50,000 TONS FOR USIBA AND COFAVI (COMPANHIA FERRO E ACO DE VITORIA) FOR FOURTH QUARTER. ARGUMENT SUPPORTING REQUEST EMPHASIZES THAT USIBA HAD CONTRACTED WITH US EXPORTERS FOR SUPPLY OF 170,000 TONS DURING 1972-1974 PERIOD, BUT ONLY 42,000 TONS COULD BE SHIPPED DUE TO INTERVENING USG RESTRICTIONS ON SCRAP EXPORTS.

2. WE UNDERSTAND THAT GOB MAY BE CONSIDERING AN APPROACH TO USG ON POSSIBILITY OF EXCHANGING BRAZILIAN IRON ORE PELLETS AND/OR SPONGE IRON FOR US COAL AND/OR SCRAP STEEL.

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